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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3.  Specification [Total Pages 20]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 10]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]
 

- a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
- b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
  - i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

Attorney Docket No.

First Inventor

Donald Pierce

Title

STEREOSCOPIC PANORAMIC  
IMAGE CAPTURE DEVICE

Express Mail Label No.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box Patent Application  
Washington, DC 20231

7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 

- a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
  - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
  - ii.  paper
- c.  Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)

11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)

12.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations

13.  Preliminary Amendment

14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)

16.  Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

17.  Other: .....

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Group Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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Application Number	
Filing Date	8/10/2001
First Named Inventor	Donald Pierce
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Attorney Docket No.	

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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 710	201 355	Utility filing fee	<b>355</b>
106 320	206 160	Design filing fee	
107 490	207 245	Plant filing fee	
108 710	208 355	Reissue filing fee	
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 355)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
28	-20** = 8	x 9 =	<b>72</b>
Independent Claims 3	- 3** = 0	x =	
Multiple Dependent			

## Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 80	202 40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	204 135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80	209 40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 72)

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## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Code (\$)	Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112 920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117 890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144 600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126 180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581 40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	<b>160</b>
146 710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 160)

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**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION  
UNDER  
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

First Named Inventor	<b>Donald Pierce</b>
Title	<b>STEREOSCOPIC PANORMAIC IMAGE CAPTURE DEVICE</b>
Atty Docket Number	

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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Date



Signature

**Donald Pierce**

Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

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